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**LEXINGTON**  
Aug. 30--Sept. 5

**Missouri Crop Report.**  
Columbia, Mo., August 5, 1916.  
While scattering showers have brought temporary relief in a few counties, practically the entire state is in urgent need of rain, according to the monthly crop report of the Missouri State Board of Agriculture. This report, based upon August 1 conditions and issued today, is as follows:

The month of July in Missouri was marked by much intense heat and very limited rainfall. At Columbia the precipitation was but 0.67 inches as compared with 3.65 inches as normal for July. In many counties the rainfall would have been sufficient for the immediate needs of growing crops, except for the high temperature. However, the heat of July and excessive rains earlier in the season, combined to produce most unsatisfactory conditions.

**CORN**—While corn has not suffered as much from hot winds as did the crop of 1911, the condition, due to the unfavorable distribution of moisture and to the impossibility of proper cultivation, is now 4 points lower than for that year. Taking the state as a whole, correspondents place corn at 57.2. On August 1, 1911, it was 61.2. On August 1, 1901, the low record of 21 was recorded. The 10-year August 1 condition is 77.7. During the month just ended corn suffered a loss of 22.2 points. Present condition of corn, by crop division sections, is: Northeast, 62; Northwest, 69; Central, 56; Southwest, 43; Southeast, 56. Owing to the wider distribution of the 1916 planting season as compared with that of 1911 and to the greater "spread" in the growth and maturity of corn, it is not improbable that with ample rainfall during August, the present crop may equal that of five years ago, but with continued dry hot weather it will fall far short. The 1911 crop averaged 25.3 bushels per acre, a total yield of 191,334,000 bushels.

**WHEAT**—With 53 per cent of the 1916 wheat crop threshed, indications are that the final yield will not exceed 8.5 bushels per acre, as compared with the earlier estimate of 9.9 bushels. Many fields are failures and yields of from 3 to 6 bushels are not uncommon. When all threshing returns are in, indications are that the Board of Agriculture's preliminary forecast of 15,000,000 bushels for the state will stand. A large per cent of the crop has been stacked. Average selling price of new wheat on August 1 was \$1.10. Practically no plowing has been done for wheat. Correspondents report ground so dry and hard that but 1.5 per cent has been plowed. This is the lowest August 1 plowing recorded in this office and indicates a very limited acreage of wheat to be seeded this fall.

**OATS**—Correspondents report 45 per cent of the Missouri oat crop threshed. The yield is placed at 24.7 bushels. It was at first thought that the crop would average 30 bushels, but the threshing returns have not been made up to expectations. The state yield is now figured at about 25,000,000 bushels.

**HAY**—Missouri has this year produced one of the best hay crops in her history—and the hay crop of 1915 was valued at almost \$40,000,000 or more than wheat and oats combined. The 1916 hay crop has been saved in fine shape, and with an abundance of feed in stacks, ricks and mows, any shortage in corn cribs will not be so serious. Yield of timothy hay is estimated at 1.3 tons; mixed timothy and clover, 1.4 tons, with an acreage of 110 as compared with last year. Prairie hay indicates a yield of a little more than one ton per acre. Considerable timothy has been harvested for

seed, and the clover seed crop promises well. Alfalfa is proving its worth as a drouth-resistant crop.

### When You Have A Cold.

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Mrs. L. E. Mark left Monday for a visit with relatives in Nebraska.

George Aull went to Fulton Monday for a brief visit.

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Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Roberts Walker of Tulsa, Okla., motored to Lexington, Saturday, for a few days' visit with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. T. Trail, Mrs. Walyer's parents.

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Miss Anna Rostagno went to Kansas City Monday for a visit with her brother, Karl Rostagno.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Waddell went to Odessa Monday for a week's visit.

Miss Alice B. Peak went to Kansas City Monday for a few days' visit.

Charles McFadin spent Sunday here with relatives.

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### University of Missouri Preparing for Winter Session.

Now that the summer session is over, and all work for that time finished, the University of Missouri is busily preparing for the regular winter session.

All the University buildings are being overhauled, and put in order. Old sidewalks are being repaired and new ones built. In addition, rooming houses and dormitories about Columbia are being overhauled and refurnished.

ed, and stores in town are being redecorated to present the best possible appearance to the students soon due to arrive.

School opens Monday, September 18, 1916. The first three days are devoted to registration, class work beginning Thursday, September 21. Advance registration blanks have been sent to all 1915-1916 students, and to prospective students whose entrance credits have been approved. These blanks should be filled

ed out at once, and returned to the Registrar in order to make actual registration in September much easier and quicker for both students and University officials. Men and women who are planning to enter the University this fall, and have not received these blanks, may get them by applying to the University Registrar, University of Missouri, Columbia, Missouri. Over 1,400 blanks have already come back to the registrar, promising an unusually large enrollment for this year.

Entrance examinations for prospective students not having enough credit to be regularly admitted will be held September 14, 15 and 16 at Columbia.

Catalogs containing general information and schedule of courses may be secured by writing to the Registrar.

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Mrs. W. R. Eckle accompanied by her daughter, Miss Florence, went to Kansas City Monday for a brief visit.

W. B. Douglass and son, Robert, returned Monday from a visit in Corder.

Hubert Field of Kansas City spent Sunday here with his parents, Judge and Mrs. Richard Field.

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